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Patent Application

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Signature: Leanne M. Hanlon Date: March 3, 2005

Title: Methods and Apparatus for Automated Monitoring and Action Taking Based on Decision Support Mechanism

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Submitted herewith is the following document relating to the above-identified patent application:

(1) Amendment and Response to Final Office Action.

There is no additional fee due in conjunction with the Amendment. In the event of any non-payment or improper payment of a required fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or to credit **Ryan, Mason & Lewis, LLP Deposit Account No. 50-0762** as required to correct the error.

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In response to the outstanding final Office Action dated December 3, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: